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WEEKLY REMINDERS:

1. Cell phones - place in slot at front of room.
2. Complete online survey for Spring Dance (on Wikispaces).
3. Your senior class officers are in need of photos--any photos of you and your friends from grades K-12. They are creating a slideshow of pictures put to music that will be viewed at the senior banquet. **Email them to Scout Van Cise @ livancise@psdmail.org.**
4. Vocab Journals are due in class on Friday, April 6th.

WOTW 1: syntax (n.) - the ordering of words into meaningful verbal patterns such as phrases, clauses, and sentences.

WOTW 2: diction (n.) - an author's choice of words, phrases, sentence structures and figurative language, which combine to help create meaning and tone.

DAILY WORDS OF WISDOM: "You need a little bit of insanity to do great things."

Period 2, 5:

1. Review daily plan.
2. Review summary starters, structures, and similes.
3. Finish two summaries today. ("Summaries" Folder is now moved to "Book/Movie Research Paper" folder.)
 - o Book summary is general background; movie summary relates back to the book.
 - o If not done, complete on your own. **Due by Friday, April 6th at 11:59 PM.**
4. If finished, go to **Research Paper (Book-Movie Project)** page on Wikispaces, look over "Sample General Outline" and "Sample General Outline-More Specific" documents, and begin drafting your outline for your paper. (Focus on **one main idea** per paragraph.)

Period 4, 7:

1. Review daily plan.
2. Review summary starters and structures.
3. Finish summary paragraph today.
 - a. Book summary is general background; movie summary relates back to the book.
 - b. If not done, complete on your own. **Due by Friday, April 6th at 11:59 PM.**
4. If finished, go to either www.rottentomatoes.com or www.goodreads.com and search for some reviews of your favorite movies (Rotten Tomatoes) or books (Good Reads). Become familiar with how the sites work. Do you generally agree with the reviews, or do you feel they are inaccurate?

Period 6:

1. Review daily plan.
2. Finish symbol-diving/discussing "A Hunger Artist" (p. 196) and wrap up story.
3. Begin next story, "Shiloh" by Bobbie Ann Mason (p. 730). **(Story due by Friday, 4/6.)**
 - a. Use this link to read at home:
<http://english204-dcc.blogspot.com/2011/05/shiloh.html>